

News Release

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Happy Hollow Fire burning in remote northwestern Colorado

CRAIG, Colo. – Nearly 100 firefighters are working the 335-acre Happy Hollow Fire 23 miles northeast of Dinosaur, Colo.

The fire is burning in pinyon-juniper and sagebrush on Bureau of Land Management and National Park Service administered lands and is not threatening any structures at this time. The lightning-ignited fire was discovered yesterday.

Resources on the fire include three hand crews, three helicopters, an air attack coordination plane, and four engines.

There is a temporary flight restriction order over the area. Firefighters remind the public that unmanned aircraft systems, or drones, are a serious impediment to wildland firefighting. If a drone is spotted near a wildfire, firefighting aircraft will be grounded to protect firefighters.

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